

**Isttanar** @Zelkian · 2 ene. 2018  
@RichardGarriott It ran poorly, crashed many times, had a game stopping bug that required cheats, but I finally beat Ultima9 on a W95 machine with a voodoo3 card. Wish I could have seen it more polished, there was something special there underneath all the bugs.



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**Sergorn Dragon** @UltimaReturn · 2 ene. 2018  
Ultima IX is still one of the most groundbreaking games of its time. For all its shortcomings it was revolutionnary in many aspects and still ahead TO THIS DAY of many other RPG. It paved the way for great games like Gothic and really there is much that games could learn from U9.

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**Spoony Spoonicus** @spoonshiro · 2 ene. 2018  
Agreed. Definitely had its faults but was a surprisingly impressive game on a technical level (and honestly not bad to play. Had way more fun with it than 8)

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Honestly it's a better game than U8 in every aspect. I like U8 but it felt... unambitious and a step back in pretty much every way from earlier games. For all its faults Ultima IX was oozing with ambition, if anything it was too ambitious for its own good in a 99 3D game

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En respuesta a @UltimaReturn @spoonshiro y @Zelkian

Ultima VIII suffered from me listening to EA advice (which I abandoned for UO & U9). They strongly advised I cut the scope mid production about 4X. What remained was nothing close to its intent, and the first lower selling Ultima.

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